SENATE RESOLUTION 85 By Blackburn

A RESOLUTION To recognize Edward Spivey Lipsey III on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, At a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young people with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training, and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, The highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout, and Edward Spivey Lipsey III, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, The son of Spivey and Nancy Lipsey, Edward is a freshman at Christ Presbyterian Academy, where he has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, His notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 55 includes numerous Merit Badges and distinguished service; his exemplary record spans seven years, dating back to Edward's induction into the Cub Scouts in the second grade; and

WHEREAS, Edward's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of Volunteerism; working meticulously and tirelessly, he

designed and constructed two wooden benches on the property belonging to Christ

Presbyterian Church near the school entrance by the little pond, thus providing seating for those fishing, praying, or resting; and

WHEREAS, It is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Edward Lipsey as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby applaud and honor Edward Spivey Lipsey III on becoming an Eagle Scout and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.

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